EXHIBIT A

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

JASON VERIABO,

CIVIL DIVISION

Plaintiff,

ELECTRONICALLY FILED

vs.

Case No. GD-20-012346

ALLY FINANCIAL, INC.,

Defendant.

COMPLAINT IN CIVIL ACTION

Filed on Behalf of Plaintiff: Jason Veriabo

Counsel of Record for This Party:

J. P. WARD & ASSOCIATES, LLC

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NOTICE TO DEFEND

YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN COURT. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this Complaint and Notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the Complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the Plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. If you do not have a lawyer, go to or telephone the office set forth below. This office can provide you with information about hiring a lawyer. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, this office may be able to provide you with information about agencies that may offer legal service to eligible persons at a reduced fee or no fee:

LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE 11TH FLOOR KOPPERS BUILDING, 436 SEVENTH AVENUE PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15219 TELEPHONE: (412) 261-5555

HEARING NOTICE YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN COURT. The above Notice to Defend explains what you must do to dispute the claims made against you. If you file the written response referred to in the Notice to Defend, a hearing before a board of arbitrators will take place in the Compulsory Arbitration Center. Report to the Arbitration Assembly Room, Courtroom Two, Seventh Floor City-County Building, 414 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15219, on _______, 2022 at 9:00 A.M.

IF YOU FAIL TO FILE THE RESPONSE DESCRIBED IN THE NOTICE TO DEFEND, A JUDGMENT FOR THE AMOUNT CLAIMED IN THE COMPLAINT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU BEFORE THE HEARING. DUTY TO APPEAR AT ARBITRATION HEARING IF ONE OR MORE OF THE PARTIES IS NOT PRESENT AT THE HEARING, THE MATTER MAY BE HEARD AT THE SAME TIME AND DATE BEFORE A JUDGE OF THE COURT WITHOUT THE ABSENT PARTY OR PARTIES. THERE IS NO RIGHT TO A TRIAL DE NOVO ON APPEAL FROM A DECISION ENTERED BY A JUDGE.

NOTICE: You must respond to this complaint within twenty (20) days or a judgment for the amount claimed may be entered against you before the hearing. If one or more of the parties is not present at the hearing, the matter may be heard immediately before a judge without the absent party or parties. There is no right to a trial de novo on appeal from a decision entered by a judge.

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AND NOW, comes Plaintiff, Jason Veriabo, by and through the undersigned counsel, J.P. Ward & Associates, LLC and, specifically, Joshua P. Ward, Esquire, who files the within Complaint in Civil Action against Defendant Ally Financial Inc., of which the following is a statement:

PARTIES

- 1. Plaintiff, Jason Veriabo (hereinafter "Jason Veriabo"), is an adult individual who currently resides at 207 N. Bishop Avenue, Clifton Heights, Pennsylvania 19018.
- 2. Defendant, Ally Financial Inc., (hereinafter "Ally Financial"), is a corporation with its principal place of business located at 500 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 3. Jurisdiction is proper as Plaintiff brings this lawsuit under the Fair Credit Reporting Act ("FCRA"), 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681, et seq.
- 4. Venue is proper pursuant to Pa.R.C.P. 2179(a)(2) because Defendant regularly conducts business in Allegheny County, Pennsylvania and because Defendant is subject to general jurisdiction of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

PROCEDURAL HISTORY AND FACTUAL ALLEGATIONS

- 5. On October 18, 2018, Ally Financial, filed a Civil Complaint against Jason Veriabo in Magisterial District Court at Docket Number: MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018. A true and correct copy of the Docket is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "A".
- 6. In response to the aforesaid lawsuit, Jason Veriabo engaged The Law Firm of Fenters Ward n/k/a J.P. Ward & Associates, LLC for representation.
- 7. On November 19, 2019, The Law Firm of Fenters Ward served Ally Financial with a letter, (hereinafter, the "First Dispute Letter") wherein Ally Financial was informed of the disputed nature regarding the alleged debt and that Jason Veriabo was represented by counsel. A true and correct copy of the First Dispute Letter is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "B".
- 8. This First Dispute Letter stated that Jason Veriabo "denie[d] owing Ally Financial Inc. any amount of money" and informed Ally Financial that Jason Veriabo disputed any and all "Debts" Ally Financial claimed to possess. See Exhibit "B".
- 9. "Debts" as defined within the First Letter of Dispute delineated and included "any related debt(s) and/or credit account(s) your company [Ally Financial] claims to have, sold, purchased and/or assigned from yourself, another creditor, debt buyer or other entity as of the date of this letter. See Exhibit "B".
- 10. Furthermore, Ally Financial was directed to cease and desist from contacting Jason Veriabo directly. See Exhibit "B".
- 11. On November 19, 2018, The Law Firm of Fenters Ward filed an Entry of Appearance and an Intent to Defend on Jason Veriabo's behalf. True and correct copies of the

Entry of Appearance and Notice of Intent to Defend are attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "C".

- 12. On December 12, 2018, a Civil Action Hearing was held before the Honorable Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre, Magisterial District Judge. See Exhibit "A".
- 13. On December 12, 2018, at the conclusion of the Civil Action hearing, Judge Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre granted a DEFAULT JUDGMENT FOR DEFENDANT in favor of Jason Veriabo and against Ally Financial. A true and correct copy of the Notice of Judgment is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "D".
- 14. On January 14, 2019, Ally Financial's appeal period expired, making Judge Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre's judgment a final judgment: rendering the alleged debt extinguished and unenforceable.
- 15. On September 16, 2019, The Law Firm of Fenters Ward sent Notices of Dispute of Trade Line letters to Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion regarding the trade line associated with the aforementioned alleged and extinguished debt. True and correct copies of the letters are attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "E".
- 16. On October 12, 2019, Ally Financial willfully caused false and inaccurate information about Jason Veriabo to be furnished to Transunion when Ally Financial reported the alleged and extinguished debt as "REMARKS: DISP INVG. COMP-CONSUM DIASGRS; >SETTLED-LESS THAN FULL BLNC<; >PAID IN FULL/ WAS A CHARGE OFF<" in violation of § 1681s-2b(1(E)(ii) of the FCRA. A true and correct copy of the trade line is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and marked as Exhibit "F".
- 17. On October 12, 2019, Ally Financial willfully caused false and inaccurate information about Jason Veriabo to be furnished to Equifax and Transunion when Ally Financial

failed to remove the trade line pertaining to the alleged and extinguished debt: in violation of § 1681s-2(b)(1)(E)(ii) of the FCRA.

COUNT IVIOLATIONS OF THE FCRA, 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681, et seq.

- 18. Plaintiff incorporates the allegations contained in the paragraphs, above, as if fully set forth at length herein.
- 19. Jason Veriabo is a "consumer" as defined by § 1681a(c) of the FCRA. 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681a(c).
- 20. Ally Financial are "persons" as defined by § 1681a(b) of the FCRA. 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681a(b).
 - 21. Section 1681s-2(b)(1) of the FCRA provides:

After receiving notice pursuant to section 1681i(a)(2) of this title of a dispute with regard to the completeness or accuracy of any information provided by a person to a consumer reporting agency, the person shall: (A) conduct an investigation with respect to the disputed information;

(B) review all relevant information provided by the consumer reporting agency pursuant to section 1681i(a)(2) of this title; (C) report the results of the investigation to the consumer reporting agency; (D) if the investigation finds that the information is incomplete or inaccurate, report those results to all other consumer reporting agencies to which the person furnished the information and that compile and maintain files on consumers on a nationwide basis; and (E) if an item of information disputed by a consumer is found to be inaccurate or incomplete or cannot be verified after any reinvestigation under paragraph (1), for purposes of reporting to a consumer reporting agency only, as appropriate, based on the results of the reinvestigation promptly--(i) modify that item of information; (ii) delete that item of information; or (iii) permanently block the reporting of that item of information.

15 U.S.C.A. § 1681s-2(b)1.

- 22. On September 16, 2019, The Law Firm of Fenters Ward sent Notices of Dispute of Trade Line letters to Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion regarding the trade line associated with the aforementioned alleged and extinguished debt. See Exhibit "E".
- 23. On October 12, 2020, Ally Financial willfully caused false and inaccurate information about Jason Veriabo to be furnished to Transunion when Ally Financial reported the alleged and extinguished debt as "REMARKS: DISP INVG. COMP-CONSUM DIASGRS; >SETTLED-LESS THAN FULL BLNC<; >PAID IN FULL/ WAS A CHARGE OFF<" in violation of § 1681s-2b(1)(E)(ii) of the FCRA. See Exhibit "F".
- 24. Ally Financial failed to delete the trade line associated with the alleged and extinguished debt upon its extinguishment and unenforceability and failure to do so violated § 1681s-b(1)(E)(ii). This failure comes after a notification of its duty to do so under § 1681i(a)(2).
 - 25. Section 1681n(a) of the FCRA provides:

Any person who willfully fails to comply with any requirement imposed under this subchapter with respect to any consumer is liable to that consumer in an amount equal to the sum of--(1)(A) any actual damages sustained by the consumer as a result of the failure or damages of not less than \$100 and not more than \$1,000; or (B) in the case of liability of a natural person for obtaining a consumer report under false pretenses or knowingly without a permissible purpose, actual damages sustained by the consumer as a result of the failure or \$1,000, whichever is greater; (2) such amount of punitive damages as the court may allow; and (3) in the case of any successful action to enforce any liability under this section, the costs of the action together with reasonable attorney's fees as determined by

15 U.S.C.A. § 1681n(a).

the court.

26. As a direct and proximate result of Ally Financial's violations of § 1681s-2(b)(1)(E) of the FCRA, Jason Veriabo has suffered annoyance, anxiety, embarrassment, emotional distress, and severe inconvenience.

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WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Jason Veriabo, respectfully requests that this Honorable Court

enter judgment in their favor and against Defendant, Ally Financial Inc., and enter an award of

monetary damages as described herein, not in excess of arbitration limits, including an award for

actual damages, statutory damages pursuant to 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681n(a), costs and attorney's fees

pursuant to 15 U.S.C.A. § 1681n(a), and such other and further relief as this Honorable Court

deems just and proper.

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED UPON APPEAL OR REMOVAL.

Respectfully submitted,

J. P. WARD & ASSOCIATES, LLC

Date: February 11, 2022

By: Joshua P. Ward (Pa. I.D. No. 320347)

John V. Moore (Pa. I.D. No. 87333)

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Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Counsel for Plaintiff

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VERIFICATION

I, JOSHUA P. WARD, ESQ., have read the foregoing COMPLAINT and verify that the

statements therein are correct to the best of my personal knowledge, information, and/or belief. I

have gained this information from discussions with Plaintiff. This verification is made on behalf

of Plaintiff. Plaintiff will produce their verification if/when there is an objection by Defendant or

upon directive from the court.

I understand that this verification is made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S.A. 4904

relating to unsworn falsification to authorities, which provides that if I knowingly make false

averments, I may be subject to criminal penalties.

Respectfully submitted,

J.P. WARD & ASSOCIATES, LLC

Date: February 11, 2022

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EXHIBIT A

Magisterial District Judge 32-2-52

DOCKET

Docket Number: MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018

Civil Docket

ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

Jason Veriabo

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CASE INFORMATION

Judge Assigned:

Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre

File Date:

10/18/2018

Claim Amount: Judgment Amount: \$7,731.28

Case Status: County:

Closed Delaware

CALENDAR EVENTS

Case Calendar

Schedule

Start Time

1:00 pm

Judge Name

Schedule Status

Event Type Civil Action Hearing Start Date 12/05/2018 Room

Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre

Scheduled

CASE PARTICIPANTS

Participant Type Defendant

Participant Name

Address

Clifton Heights, PA 19018

Veriabo, Jason Plaintiff ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

DETROIT, MI 48226

Docket Number

MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018

Plaintiff ALLY FINANCIAL INC. **DISPOSITION SUMMARY** Defendant Jason Veriabo

Disposition Default Judgment for **Disposition Date** 12/12/2018

Defendant

ATTORNEY INFORMATION

Private

Address:

10/18/2018

Private

Name: Attorney Michael F. Ratchford, Esq.

Representing: ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

Supreme Court No.: 086285

Phone No.: 570-558-5510

Counsel Status: Active - Entry of Appearance

Supreme Court No.: 320202

Name: Brian J Fenters, Esq.

Representing: Veriabo, Jason

Phone No.: 412-545-3016

Counsel Status: Active - Entry of Appearance

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Scranton, PA 18503

Entry of Appearance Filed Dt: 11/19/2018

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Civil Complaint Filed

DOCKET ENTRY INFORMATION Applies To Filed Date Jason Veriabo, Defendant Magisterial District Court 32-2-52 12/12/2018 Default Judgment for Defendant 11/19/2018 Entry of Appearance Filed Brian J Fenters, Esq. Jason Veriabo, Defendant Intent to Defend Filed 11/19/2018 Jason Veriabo Jason Veriabo, Defendant 10/19/2018 Magisterial District Court 32-2-52 Jason Veriabo, Defendant Restricted Certified Civil Action Hearing Notice Issued Entry of Appearance Filed Attorney Michael F. Ratchford, Esq. ALLY FINANCIAL INC., Plaintiff 10/19/2018

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ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

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Magisterial District Judge 32-2-52 **DOCKET** Docket Number: MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018 **Civil Docket** ALLY FINANCIAL INC. Jason Veriabo Page 2 of 2

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BRIAN FENTERS, ESQ. JOSHUA WARD, ESQ.

Managing Partners 412-545-3016 Office 412-540-3399 Fax

November 19, 2018

Ally Financial Inc. c/o Attorney Michael F. Ratchford, Esq. Ratchford Law Group, PC 409 Lackawanna Avenue, Suite 320 Scranton, PA 18503

Sent via U.S. Mail

Re:

Our Client:

JASON VERIABO

Docket Number:

MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018

Account #'s:

XXX

To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter as confirmation of my representation of <u>JASON VERIABO</u> with a current address of <u>207 N Bishop Ave. Clifton Heights, PA 19018.</u> My representation of the above-mentioned client includes any related debt(s) and/or credit account(s) your company claims to have, sold, purchased and/or assigned from yourself, another creditor, debt buyer or other entity as of the date of this letter (the "Debts"). Please cease and desist any further communications with my client as it relates to the collection of Debts.

According to my client, your company has been reporting the above-referenced accounts to collection and/or credit agencies. My client denies owing **Ally Financial Inc.** any amount of money and demands proof of liability, accounting and ownership of these alleged accounts. The proof shall include any agreements and any amendments thereto, any other written or signed documents agreed to by my client, as well as, a complete history of billing statements reflecting how you calculated the current amount claimed, owed, reported to the collection and/or credit agencies and complete copies of any assignment documentation evidencing your ownership rights to the specific accounts.

Pursuant to the Consumer Financial Protection Act (CFPA) 12 U.S.C. 5533(a) and the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act (FDCPA) 15 U.S.C. § 1692 et seq. we request that you provide additional documents related to the Debt you claim is owed by our client:

- 1. the original account-level documentation reflecting all purchases, payments, or other actual uses of the account;
- 2. a document signed by our client evidencing the opening of the account forming the basis for the debt;
- 3. the name of the creditor at the time of charge-off, including the name under which the creditor did business with our client;

- 4. the last four digits of the account number associated with the debt at the time our client's last monthly account statement, or, if not available, at the time of charge-off; the charge-off balance;
- 5. <u>ALLY FINANCIAL, INC.</u> method of calculating any amount claimed in excess of the charge-off balance;
- 6. a copy of the statement where <u>ALLY FINANCIAL INC.</u> offered to provide our client (within 30 days of a written request) with copies of a document signed by our client evidencing the opening of the account forming the basis for the debt; and the original account-level documentation reflecting a purchase, payment, or other actual use of the account.

Please be advised that at all times relative hereto, we are disputing this debt under the FDCPA, FCEUA and/or the UTPCPL. AS SUCH YOU MUST 1) NOTIFY ANY CRAS YOU HAVE FURNISHED INFORMATION TO THAT THIS TRADE LINE IS DISPUTED; 2) UPON DISMISSAL OF THE CASE, OR DISCHARGE, CEASE AND DESIST COLLECTION ATTEMPTS OR REPORTING THIS DEBT TO CREDIT AGENCIES. You may direct the requested proof to my office at the address listed above. YOU HAVE THIRTY (30) DAYS TO PROVIDE THE REQUESTED PROOFS. All future correspondence or contact shall be directed to my office until my office provides written confirmation of termination of legal representation, if such termination should ever occur. YOU MUST PROVIDE THIS NOTICE TO ANY ASSIGNEE, TRANSFEREE OR SUBSEQUENT OWNER OF THIS OR ANY DEBT. IF YOU FAIL IN ANY OF THESE REGARDS, YOU WILL BE SUBJECT TO LIABILITY UNDER FEDERAL AND STATE CONSUMER PROTECTION LAWS.

Very Truly Yours,

/s/ Joshua P Ward, Esq.

Joshua P. Ward, Esq. Direct Dial: (412) 545-3015 Email: jward@fentersward.com

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cc: JASON VERIABO

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EXHIBIT C

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA	ENTRY OF APPEARANCE					
COUNTY OF: Delaware	PURSUANT TO Pa.R.C.P.M.D.J. NO. 207.1(A)					
Magisterial District Number: 32-2-52	PLAINTIFF: NAME and ADDRESS					
MDJ Name: Hon. Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre						
Address: 409 Ashland Ave. Suite 1	ALLY FINANCIAL, LLC					
Secane, PA 19018						
Telephone: (610) 622-8102	VS.					
SENT VIA: Fax: 610-622-8105	DEFENDANT: NAME and ADDRESS					
DATE: 11/19/2018	Jason Veriabo					
	Docket No.: MJ-32252-0000254-18					
	Date Filed: 10/18/2018					
TO THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT COURT: Please enter my appearance on behalf of Dein the above captioned matter.	efendent Jason Veriabo					
Attorney Name: Brian J. Fenters						
Supreme Court of Pennsylvania Attorney Identification	n Number: 320202					
Firm Name: The Law Firm of Fenters Ward						
Address: 201 South Highland Ave., Suite 201	·					
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November 19, 2018

Magisterial District Number: 32-2-52

Honorable Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre

409 Ashland Ave. Suite 1

Secane, PA 19018

610-622-8102

Sent via: Fax 610-622-8105

RE: CV-254-2018. ALLY FINANCIAL, INC. v Jason Veriabo

INTENT TO DEFEND NOTICE:

DEFENDANT INTENDS TO ENTER A DEFENSE. PLEASE CONSIDER THIS NOTICE PER Pa. R. Civ. P. MAG DIST J RULE 305(4)(a).

PLEASE NOTIFY THE PLAINTIFF THAT DEFENDANT HAS ENTERED NOTICE TO DEFEND PER Pa. R. Civ. P. MAG DIST J RULE 318.

ALSO, PLEASE UPDATE THE DOCKECT TO SHOW THAT DEFENDANT INTENDS TO DEFEND AS WELL AS OUR ENTRY OF APPEARANCE.

Sincerely,

/s/ Brian Fenters

Brian J. Fenters, Esq.
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BF/mh

CC: Jason Veriabo

EXHIBIT D

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA COUNTY OF DELAWARE



NOTICE OF JUDGMENT/TRANSCRIPT CIVIL CASE

Mag. Dist. No:

MDJ-32-2-52

MDJ Name:

Honorable Kelly A. Micozzie-Aguirre

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Jason Veriabo

Docket No:

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10/18/2018

Disposition Details

Disposition Summary (cc - Cross Complaint)

Docket No

Plaintiff

Defendant

Disposition

Disposition Date

MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018

ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

Jason Veriabo

Default Judgment for Defendant

12/12/2018

Comments:

ANY PARTY HAS THE RIGHT TO APPEAL WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE ENTRY OF JUDGMENT BY FILING A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE PROTHONOTARY/CLERK OF COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CIVIL DIVISION. YOU MUST INCLUDE A COPY OF THIS NOTICE OF JUDGMENT/TRANSCRIPT FORM WITH YOUR NOTICE OF APPEAL.

EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE FOR MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGES, IF THE JUDGMENT HOLDER ELECTS TO ENTER THE JUDGMENT IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, ALL FURTHER PROCESS MUST COME FROM THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS AND NO FURTHER PROCESS MAY BE ISSUED BY THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE.

UNLESS THE JUDGMENT IS ENTERED IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, ANYONE INTERESTED IN THE JUDGMENT MAY FILE A REQUEST FOR ENTRY OF SATISFACTION WITH THE MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGE IF THE JUDGMENT DEBTOR PAYS INFULL, SETTLES, OR OTHERWISE COMPLIES WITH THE JUDGMENT.

13/12/18

Date

Magisterial District Judge Kelly A. Micozzle-Aguirre

I certify that this is a true and correct copy of the record of the proceedings containing the judgment.

Date

Magisterial District Judge

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ALLY FINANCIAL INC.

v. Jason Veriabo Docket No.: MJ-32252-CV-0000254-2018

Participant List

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Attorney Michael F. Ratchford, Esq. Ratchford Law Group, PC 409 Lackawanna Ave Suite 320 Scranton, PA 18503

Plaintiff(s)

ALLY FINANCIAL INC. 500 Woodward Ave DETROIT, MI 48226

Defendant(s)

Jason Veriabo 207 N Bishop Ave Clifton Heights, PA 19018

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SEPTEMBER 16, 2019

SENT VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL

EQUIFAX P.O. BOX 740241 ATLANTA, GA 30374

RE: FCRA - NOTICE OF DISPUTED TRADE LINE - 15 U.S.C.A. 16811 (A)(2).

NAME:

JASON VERIABO

ADDRESS:

207 N BISHOP AVENUE

CLIFTON HEIGHTS, PA 19018

DOB:

<u>SSN</u>:

FURNISHER:

ALLY FINANCIAL - \$7,731.28

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE LAW FIRM OF FENTERS WARD REPRESENTS THE ABOVE-NAMED CLIENT, AS ATTORNEY-IN-FACT, AND DULY AUTHORIZED AGENT, WITH RESPECT TO A DEBT-COLLECTION LAWSUIT. THIS LETTER SHALL SERVE AS FORMAL NOTIFICATION OF THE CONSUMER'S DISPUTE OF THE ASSOCIATED TRADE LINE REFERENCED IN THE SUBJECT LINE HEREINABOVE.

WE HAVE NOTIFIED THE CREDITOR AND/OR FURNISHER OF THIS DISPUTE NOTICE, AND HAVE DISPUTED THE VALIDITY OF THE OBLIGATION IN ITS ENTIRETY WITH THE FURNISHER/CREDITOR.

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VERY TRULY YOURS,

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SEPTEMBER 16, 2019

SENT VIA FIRST CLASS MAIL.

EXPERIAN P.O. BOX 2002 ALLEN, TX 75013

RE: FCRA - NOTICE OF DISPUTED TRADE LINE - 15 U.S.C.A. 1681 (A)(2).

NAME:

JASON VERIABO

ADDRESS:

207 N BISHOP AVENUE

CLIFTON HEIGHTS, PA 19018

<u>DOB</u>:

SSN:

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ALLY FINANCIAL - \$7,731.28

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ELECTRONICALLY FILED

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Defendant.

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Your Investigation Results

INVESTIGATION RESULTS - DISPUTED INFORMATION UPDATED AND OTHER INFORMATION UPDATED: A change was made to the item(s) based on your dispute and other information has also changed.

ALLY FINANCIAL #2092426**** (P.O. BOX 380901, BLOOMINGTON, MN 55438, (888) 925-2559)

We investigated the information you disputed and updated: High Balance; Past Due; Terms; Remarks; Rating; Payment Received. Here is how this item appears on your credit report following our investigation.

05/25/2017

03/22/2017

\$14,100

\$7,731

03/22/2017 (\$0)

Date Opened: Responsibility: Account Type:

Loan Type:

07/08/2016 Individual Account

Installment Account **AUTOMOBILE**

Balance: **Date Updated:**

Payment Received: Last Payment Made:

High Balance: Original Charge-off: Pay Status:

Date Closed:

Terms:

>Account paid in Full; was a

Charge-off<

\$0 per month, paid Monthly for 72 months

05/25/2017 >Maximum Delinquency of 60 days in 04/2017<

Remarks: DISP INVG COMP-CONSUM DISAGRS; >SETTLED-LESS THAN FULL BLNC<; >PAID IN FULL/WAS A CHARGE OFF<

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